



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date November 28, 2005

In re the Application of

Yoshiaki KOMATSU Group Art Unit: 2674

Application No.: 09/819,920 Examiner: K. NGUYEN

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For: INFORMATION RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired September 28, 2005, an extension of time for a period of two months is hereby requested. A one-month extension of time was paid in the amount of \$120.00 on October 20, 2005. Attached hereto is our Check No. 173318 in the amount of \$330.00 in payment for:

Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$120.00)

X Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$450.00)

Extension fee for response within third or subsequent month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$1020.00)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two copies of this petition are enclosed.

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